## IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA CHARLOTTE DIVISION

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	)	
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VS.	)	<u> </u>
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LORENSO OWENS - 1	)	
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**THIS MATTER** is before the Court on it's own motion for a continuance of this matter from the May 2005 trial term.

For the reasons stated in Defendant's motion and upon a showing that Defendant's counsel has not had sufficient time within which to adequately prepare a defense in this case, taking into account the exercise of due diligence, the Court will allow the continuance. 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(8)(B)(iv). The Court further finds that the ends of justice served by taking such action as requested by the Defendant outweigh the best interest of the public and the Defendant to a speedy trial.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that this case is hereby continued from the 16 May 2005 term in the Charlotte Division to the 25 July 2005 term.

## **Signed: July 11, 2005**

Richard L. Voorhees United States District Judge